SIMEON BULLOCK.

JANUARY 3, 1832.

Mr. HUBBARD, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of Simeon Bullock, report:

That the petitioner states, under oath, that, early in the year 1776, he enlisted as a private, for one year, in Captain S. Peck's company, in Colonel Lippit's regiment: that he faithfully served the full term of his enlistment, and was honorably discharged: that his regiment was marched from Rhode Island to New York: that he was in the battles of Haerlem Heights and White Plains: and that, after the expiration of his term of service, he again enlisted as a private in Colonel Craig's regiment, in the Rhode Island line, for fifteen months, and performed faithfully the term of service; and that

he is entirely destitute of property.

The statement of the petitioner, as to his service in Colonel Lippit's regiment, is fully corroborated by the deposition of Thomas Church, whose character for veracity and respectability is very satisfactorily shown; and that the petitioner is entirely destitute of property, is very clearly established by the testimony in the case. It appears by the Journals of Congress, that, in May, 1776, the two battalions, directed by the Assembly of Rhode Island to be raised, were taken into the continental pay. And, in September, 1776, it was resolved, "that one of the continental battalions in Rhode Island, be ordered immediately to march to reinforce the army at New York." And, it further appears, that Christopher Lippit was elected colonel by the Continental Congress, in September, 1776, and was charged with the command of the battalion ordered to New York.

The committee, from a view of all the facts in relation to this case, are of the opinion that the petitioner did serve more than nine months in a regiment on the continental establishment, and that he is in such indigent circumstances as to be unable to support himself without the aid of private or public charity. They therefore report a bill granting him a pension.

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